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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of :

Michael Stanford Showell, et al. :

Serial No. 09/889,254 :

Filed July 13, 2001 :

For DETERGENT TABLETS :

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Confirmation No. 2507

Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

PETITION AND FEE TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(a)

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.48(a), it is requested that the present application be amended to include Glenn Steven Ward as co-inventor of the above-identified described application. When originally filed, this application, without any deceptive intention on the part of the originally-named inventor, failed to name Glenn Steven Ward as joint inventor.

In support of this Petition, Applicants have included herewith the following documents:

- 1) An Amendment adding Glenn Steven Ward as co-inventor;
- 2) A Statement Under 37 CFR 1.48(a)(1) by Glenn Steven Ward establishing that the error occurred without deceptive intention on his part;
- 3) A Declaration under 37 §1.63 combined with Power of Attorney executed by all of the inventors: Michael Stanford Showell, Yong (nmn) Zhu, Eric C. Wells, and Glenn Steven Ward, and
- 4) A Statement Concerning Consent of Assignee executed by Kevin L. Waugh, Patent Counsel, empowered to act on behalf of The Procter & Gamble Company.

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The Office is hereby authorized to charge payment of the \$130.00 petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i), and any other necessary fees, to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this petition is included for this purpose.

Applicants respectfully submit that these documents fully satisfy the requirements under 37 CFR 1.48(a). In light of these submissions, it is respectfully requested that the Commissioner permit correction of inventorship of the subject application by adding Glenn Steven Ward as co-inventor.

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Respectfully submitted,

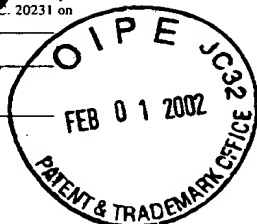
FOR: MICHAEL STANFORD SHOWELL,  
ZHU (NMN) YONG, and ERIC C. WELLS

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**STATEMENT OF LACK OF DECEPTIVE INTENTION FROM ADDED INVENTOR  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.48(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

I, Glenn Steven Ward, hereby declare that:

1. The invention described and named in the patent application Serial No.09/889,254, filed on July 13, 2001, was developed in part by Michael Stanford Showell, Young (nmn) Zhu, Eric C. Wells and Glenn Steven Ward, all of whom collaborated during the conception of the invention disclosed and claimed in the above-identified patent application.

2. The inventorship error occurred without deceptive intention on my part.

I hereby further declare that all statements made herein are of my own knowledge and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Further Declarant sayeth not.

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Glenn Steven Ward  
Glenn Steven Ward

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18 U.S.C. §1001 Statements or Entries Generally

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ASSIGNEE CONSENT TO PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(a)  
TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The Applicants' assignee, The Procter & Gamble Company, consents to Applicants' Petition under 37 CFR 1.48(a) seeking addition of Glenn Steven Ward as a co-inventor on the above-identified application.

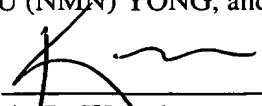
Petitioner, The Procter & Gamble Company, is the owner of the entire right, title and interest in the above-identified application.

The undersigned is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee.

Respectfully submitted,

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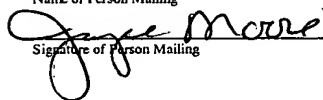
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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(a)

This amendment is being filed to add an inventor. Please amend the specification of the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

At page 1, please add the following list of inventors after the title: "Michael Stanford Showell, Yong (nmn) Zhu, Eric C. Wells. Glenn Steven Ward.

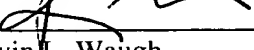
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The Specification has been amended to correct an ommitted inventor, Glenn Steven Ward, in the above application. Thus, the actual inventors in the above-identified application are Michael Stanford Showell, Yong (nmn) Zhu, Eric C. Wells and Glenn Steven Ward. The enclosed Statement of Glenn Steven Ward, Declaration, Written Consent of the Assignee, and Petition to the Commissioner to permit the correction of inventorship, as required by 37 CFR 1.48(a) are being filed concurrently.

CONCLUSION

Applicants and Applicants' Assignee respectfully request that the amendment to the present application be entered and inventorship corrected.

Respectfully submitted,  
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